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The Honorable William F. Knowland Committee on Appropriations U. S. Senate Washington, D. C.

Dear Senator Knowland:

Receipt of your letter of 21 Sept of your correspondent,	is acknowledged.	25X
I am advised that in this case as letter from during August, furnished to the Federal Bureau of Insprimary interest in matters such as the	, the information has been vestigation, the agency of	
I am very grateful for your though including this agency as one to whom the helpful. You may rest assured that it strict confidence.	the information would be	
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- 1. There is attached the letter from Senator Knowland dated 21 September in which he referred to a previous communication of 25 August; this letter is now added to complete the record.
- 2. The subject is essentially one of security; there is no factual intelligence information. I was advised on 25 August that the first letter had been passed to the FBI; I have confirmed this, this date, and I have also been advised that the latest communication from to Senator Knowland (enclosure to his letter of 21 September) was also referred to the FBI.
 - 3. A draft reply to Senator Knowland is attached.

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1. Correspondence as stated.

2. Draft reply.

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